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Rear Admiral Vernon L. Lawrence
 Assistant Chief of Naval Operations
 (Intelligence)
 Department of the Navy
 Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Admiral Lawrence:

The Director, in his capacity as coordinator under NSCID No. 5, has prepared a dispatch to his designated representatives in the field for NSCID No. 5 matters informing them of the Joint Study Group Recommendation No. 37 and instructing them as to the steps they should take in implementation thereof. The Director has instructed me to provide you with a copy of this dispatch before it is sent to his designated representatives, and a copy is attached hereto.

The coordination efforts in the field will be expedited if those elements of the U. S. Navy which are engaged in clandestine collection operations abroad are informed by you of this step which is being taken to implement Recommendation No. 37 and especially of the substance of paragraphs 3 and 4 of this dispatch. I would appreciate receiving a copy of any complementary dispatch which you may send to Navy units.

If you have any questions concerning the substance of this dispatch, please feel free to call me.

Sincerely,

SIGNED

AC/DCI/ [redacted] :rad 22 June 61

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